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PATENT**

Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 05725.0932-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International Application No.)
PCT/FR01/00229 of:)

Véronique FERRARI)

Application No.: 09/937,314) Group Art Unit: unassigned

PCT Filed: January 24, 2001) Examiner: unassigned

National Stage Entry: September 24, 2001)

For: A TRANSFER-FREE COMPOSITION)
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PHASE THAT IS STRUCTURED WITH AT)
LEAST ONE POLYMER)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

ATTN: BOX PCT LEGAL

Sir:

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181

Applicant herein requests that the Office process the above-mentioned National Stage Application papers that were filed with the Office on December 6, 2001.

We have contacted the Office about the status of this application and were informed that it has no record of receipt of the attached Response to Notification of Missing Requirements papers. After consulting with the PCT Legal Help Desk, we were advised to file this Petition with a copy of the papers filed and postcard receipt evidencing their filing.

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In support of this Petition, Applicant has enclosed accurate and true copies of the official receipt postcards stamped by the Office on December 6, 2001 and April 16, 2002, and copies of the Response to Notification of Missing Requirements, Notification of Missing Requirements, Transmittal Letter, Executed French Language Declaration and check number 054963.

Applicant believes that no fee should be charged with this Petition. However, if any fee is required to enter this Petition, please charge the required fee to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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